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STRANGE TRAGEDY.—Mrs. Mary Stokes, widow of John Stokes, dec'd, who has been residing on Dry River, in Rockingham county, was committed to jail in this place a few days since, after examination before Justices James McDorman and G. M. Rogers, a commission appointed to enquire into certain facts indicating either that she has been guilty of murder or that she now is and has been, for some time, laboring under insanity.

The family of Stokes, who was a man in humble circumstances, has had its full share of trouble, bereavements and distress. Within the space of about one year, the husband and father has been buried, the barn on his little place has been burned, and two of his orphan children have been drowned-one, aged three years old, some nine or ten months ago, and the last one, aged five years, a fortnight or so since.—The peculiar circumstances connected with the drowning of the last child, it seems, originated the suspicion and impression, that Mrs. Stokes had made way with both children, and had burned the barn. Hence her arrest and the examination she has undergone. Mrs. S. is about 37 years old, and has five other children, two of whom are grown. She and her husband had lived unhappily together, owing, it said, to his tyrannical disposition and her own perverse and violent temper. There were no marks of violence on either of her dead children, although they were drowned in a small branch or stream near their parents' dwelling, about fifteen inches deep. The last child was found lying on its face in the branch with its head up stream and its feet down. Mrs. Stokes is of very respectable parentage, and her family are very industrious and respectable. Altogether, it is a strange and mysterious case, involving a vast amount of human suffering, as well, most probably, as the commission of horrible and startling crime. Rockingham Register.

EDITING A PAPER.—The following was found in the office of an editor by a sheriff : -Editing a paper is very pleasant business-if you like it! If it contains too much political matter, peo-

ple condemn it. If it contains too little, they will not have it If the type is large, it doesn't contain much

reading matter. If the type is small, they can't read it. If we publish telegraph reports, folks say they are nothing but lies.

If we omit them, they say we certainly should have them. If we have in a few jokes, folks say we are

nothing but a little rattle head.

If we omit jokes, they say we are an old tossil.

If we publish original matter, they damn us for not giving selections, news. &c., &c. If we give selections, people say that should write what they have not read. If we give people complimentary notices, we

are censured for being partial. If we do not, all hands say we certainly

If we insert an article which pleases the la dies, men become jealous.

If we do not cater to their wishes the paper

is not fit to have in their houses. If we remain in our office and attend to business, folks say we are too proud to mingle with

other fellows. It we go out, they say that we do not attend to business. If we do not pay all bills promptly, folks say we are not to be trusted.

If we do pay promptly, they say we are making a fortune! - Exchange Paper. DEATH REPORTS. - In our Richmond letter

of yesterday, appeared the mortuary statistics of that city for the last nine months.

These reports, showing an excess in that short period of nearly 15 per ct. of deaths of the black over those of the white race, bear with them too plain an inference to need enforce-

ment at our hands. It has long been a received opinion in the country districts that the blacks were decreas. iag, but it has generally been little more than a probable guess. Here, however, in a healthy city, subject to no violent epidemics, where the blacks are out numbered by some 5,000, we find their deaths largely greater than those of the

The result of this state of facts cannot long remain unnoticed on a large scale, and the census returns will probably show a great decrease of the black population of the north side of the Sate, if not of the south side also .- Petersburg

Courier. THE STORM KING IN HIS GLORY. -The effects of the atorm on Monday were of the grandly brilliant kind that occur only at intervals. Along the Hudson the roll of thunder louder than the rumbling of old Hendrick Hudson's tenpin balls, and the glare of the lightning, was terrible beyond expression. A huge boit of fire struck old Crow's Nest Mountain and brought down a rock measuring nearly a thousand tons, hurling it into the river beneath. The sensation created by the storm at Boston has not been equalled since the grand crash at the Peace Jubilee last year. The lightning struck houses and set them on fire, shivered masts, while hail the size of marbles and hen's eggs smashed windows and raised the mischief generally. The storm extended to this vicinity, and all the adjacent towns suffered more or

less. - New York Herald. GAS.—The New York Herald says the great success of the new oxyhydric gas in that city, is such as to induce some of the foremost capitalists to take hold of it, and that soon the company which manufacture it will apply to the city authorities for permission to lay down pipes for a general supply of it. This gas has achieved a decided success in Paris, and is said by its advocates, and probably with truth, to possess many advantages over that which is in possess many advantages over that which is in use at present, prominent among which are, that the light is clear and more brilliant, that the light is clear and more brilliant, that It can furthermore be allowed to come out of the pipes at night without any hurtful consequences.

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